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Attorney Docket No.	25143A
First Inventor	Michael
Title	Vehicle Energy Absorbing Element
Express Mail Label No.	EL846771206US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit one original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 15]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
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1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or  
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)  
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of  
(when there is an assignee) Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
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Prior application information

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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
21	-20** = 1	18.00	18.00
3	-3** = 0	84.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent		0	0.00

Large Entity Code (\$)	Small Entity Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18 203 9		Claims in excess of 20
102 84 202 42		Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280 204 140		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84 209 42		** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18 210 9		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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139 130 139 130		Non-English specification	0.00
147 2,520 147 2,520		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	0.00
112 920* 112 920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	0.00
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142 1,280 242 640		Utility issue fee (or reissue)	0.00
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